# **Senate**

# **Record of Committee Proceedings**

# Committee on Sporting Heritage, Mining, and Forestry

#### Senate Bill 493

Relating to: regulation of aquaculture and fish farms.

By Senators Tiffany and Gudex; cosponsored by Representatives Czaja, Horlacher, Murphy, Jarchow, T. Larson and Brandtjen.

January 04, 2016 Referred to Committee on Sporting Heritage, Mining, and Forestry

January 05, 2016 **Public Hearing Held** 

Present: (5) Senator Tiffany; Senators Roth, Moulton,

Wirch and Vinehout.

Absent: (0) None. Excused: (0) None.

### Appearances For

- Senator Tom Tiffany 12th Senate District
- Representative Mary Czaja 35th Assembly District
- Buck Sweeney Wisconsin Aquaculture Association
- Mike Hahn Wisconsin Aquaculture Association
- Tim Winkle Silvermoon Springs
- Peter Fritsch Rushing Waters Fisheries
- Ron Johnson
- Tim Gollon Gollon Bait & Fish Farm
- Dave Gollon Gollon Bait & Fish Farm

## Appearances Against

• None.

### **Appearances for Information Only**

- Pam Biersach Wisconsin DNR
- Susan Sylvester Wisconsin DNR

#### **Registrations For**

- Jim Augustyn
- Pete Hansen WI Restaurant Association
- Brandon Scholz WI Grocers Association

#### **Registrations Against**

- George Meyer Wisconsin Wildlife Federation
- Erin O'Brien Wisconsin Wetlands Association

## **Registrations for Information Only**

None.

## January 14, 2016 **Executive Session Held**

Present: (5) Senator Tiffany; Senators Roth, Moulton,

Wirch and Vinehout.

Absent: (0) None. Excused: (0) None.

Moved by Senator Vinehout, seconded by Senator Roth that **Senate Amendment 1** be recommended for adoption.

Ayes: (5) Senator Tiffany; Senators Roth, Moulton, Wirch and Vinehout.

Noes: (0) None.

SENATE AMENDMENT 1 ADOPTION RECOMMENDED, Ayes 5, Noes 0

Moved by Senator Roth, seconded by Senator Moulton that **Senate Bill 493** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (3) Senator Tiffany; Senators Roth and Moulton.

Noes: (2) Senators Wirch and Vinehout.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 3, Noes 2

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Committee Clerk